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October 3, 2001

Mr. David Waddell **Executive Secretary** Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

Re:

Petition of United Telephone Company to Change and Increase Certain Intrastate Rates and Charges so as to Permit it to Earn a Fair and Adequate Rate of Return on its Property Used and Useful in Furnishing Telephone Service to its Customers in Tennessee and to Adopt New and Realistic Depreciation Rates for Central Office Equipment Docket No. 01-00451

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed is an original and thirteen copies of the Direct Testimony of Consumer Advocate Division witness, Robert T. Buckner, Coordinator of Regulatory Analysts in the abovereferenced matter. Copies are being furnished to counsel of record for interested parties.

Sincerely,

TIMOTHY C. PHILLIPS

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cc: Counsel of Record

Before the

### TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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EQUIPMENT
DOCKET NO. 01-00451

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DIRECT TESTIMONY OF ROBERT T. BUCKNER

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**October 3, 2001** 

1 O. Plea	ise state your	name for	the record.
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2 A. My name is Robert T. Buckner ("Terry").

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#### 4 Q. By whom are you employed and what is your position?

I am employed by the Consumer Advocate and Protection Division ("CAPD") in the Office of the Attorney General for the State of
Tennessee as the Coordinator of Regulatory Analysts.

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#### Q. How long have you been employed in the utility industry?

Approximately twenty four years. Before my employment with 10 A. the Attorney General, I was employed with the Tennessee Public 11 Service Commission ("Commission") as a financial analyst for 12 Prior to my employment with the 13 approximately six years. Commission, I was employed by Telephone and Data Systems 14 ("TDS") for eight years and the First Utility District of Knox County 15 for three years. 16

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### Q. What is your educational background and what degrees do you

#### 19 **hold?**

I have a Bachelors degree in Business Administration from the
University of Tennessee, Knoxville with a major in Accounting. I am
also a Tennessee Certified Public Accountant and a member of the

1		American Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("AICPA").
2		Additional education background with respect to my qualifications is
3		provided in Exhibit No. 1 (Attachment A).
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5	Q.	Would you briefly describe your responsibilities as a Regulatory
6		Analyst since your employment with the CAPD?
7	A.	I prepared testimony and exhibits as an employee with the
8		Commission before becoming a member of the CAPD. My
9		responsibilities have not changed significantly since becoming
10		employed with the CAPD.
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12	Q.	What is the purpose of your testimony before the Tennessee
13		Regulatory Authority ("TRA")?
14	A.	The purpose of my testimony is to present a forecast of revenue,
15		expenses, taxes, rate base, a just and reasonable rate of return, and a
16		proposed rate design for United Telephone Company ("United") for

the attrition year ending December 31, 2002 in TRA Docket #01-00451. CAPD Exhibit 1 is attached to reflect the summary financial schedules of the forecast. Also, CAPD Exhibit 2 provides all the detailed workpapers and calculations supporting the summary

21 financial schedules of the forecast.

# Q. Based upon your prepared forecast, what are your conclusions for United for the attrition year 2002?

The conclusions are: (1) increased local service rates are unnecessary; (2) the increase in Central Office Equipment's ("COE") depreciation rate from 4% to 8% as proposed by United should be adopted; (3) the amortization amounts and the amortization period for extraordinary COE retirements should be adopted; and (4) the resulting excess earnings of \$229,110 could be used for further amortization expense or eliminate the touch-tone calling charges for every United customer. The determination for this amount is subject to the discretion of the TRA.

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# Q. Please identify the significant differences in revenues and related issues regarding the forecast of operating revenues for United.

In CAPD Exhibit 1, Schedule 4 indicates the differences in the forecasted amounts between the CAPD and United. The operating revenues projected by the CAPD are approximately \$1.6 million greater than the operating revenues projected by United for the attrition year. The significant issues regarding this \$1.6 million include the following: (1) the CAPD has forecasted approximately \$1 million more in Local Service Revenue growth; and (2) net access charge and long distance revenues are projected to be approximately

\$.6 million greater than the forecasted amount of United.

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## Q. Please explain the issues and reasons for the forecast difference in Local Service Revenues.

The forecasted CAPD Local Service Revenue is based upon two growth rates: (1) historical growth in access lines; and (2) historical growth in revenues per access line. Recent history has shown remarkable growth in both categories for United. Due to the uncertainty of the present economic climate, the CAPD has used the most recent year's growth rate for each category. The 2000 growth rate for all access lines was 6.06% and 5.27% for revenues per access line. Both growth rates are lower than the 1999 rates of 8.47% and 11.76% respectively. The 2000 growth rates, however, are more a reflection of actual year to date 2001 growth. (See CAPD Exhibit 2, Pages 4 and 5 of 62.)

United's forecasted amount of Local Service Revenue for the attrition year is inexplicable. Their revised filing shows under present rates a projection of \$2.9 million in Local Service Revenue for the attrition year. This amount is \$.2 million less than the actual 2000 amount. Despite the admission by United's witnesses that (a) access lines will grow (See Enoch Revised Exhibit 9;) and (b) access lines have grown significantly in recent years (See Bivens Testimony, Page

4, Question 16.), their projection remains woefully understated. In fact, based on the testimony of United's witnesses, this rate filing is due in part to the projected increase in plant investment by United to meet the growth and the demand for service in their exchange areas. Thus, United's Local Service Revenue projection contradicts their statements of plant investment growth and service demands. Therefore, United's projection of Local Service Revenue is not only inexplicable, but also implausible.

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### Please explain the issues and reasons for the forecast difference in the net Access Charge Revenues and Long Distance Revenues.

I believe the Access Charge difference is due to two components: (1) an understated access line growth; and (2) a lack of recognition of the new National Exchange Carrier Association ("NECA") tariff filing effective July 1, 2001. The new tariff filed under Transmittal No. 901 is scheduled to bring a 1.9% increase in the Traffic Sensitive switched access and a 10.3% increase for the composite Carrier Common Line ("CCL") rate. Therefore, the access charge forecast of United is understated by \$.5 million.

The Long Distance Revenue difference is approximately \$.1 million due to the inclusion of an annualized negative revenue amount by United. By its very nature, revenue cannot be negative.

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Please identify the significant differences in expenses and related issues regarding the forecast of operation and maintenance expenses for United.

In CAPD Exhibit 1, Schedule 3, lines 2 through 5 indicates the differences in the forecasted expenses amounts between the CAPD and United. The operation and maintenance expenses projected by the CAPD are in total approximately \$.6 million lower than the operation and maintenance expenses projected by United for the attrition year. The significant issues regarding this \$.6 million include the following: (1) the CAPD has forecasted approximately \$.2 million more in operations and maintenance expenses allocated to detariffed operations; (2) the CAPD's forecasting methodology resulted in approximately \$.3 million less in forecasted operations and maintenance expenses; and (3) the CAPD excluded approximately \$.1 million less in forecasted operations and maintenance expenses due to non-recurring items.

# Q. Please explain the issues and reasons for the forecast difference in allocations to de-tariffed operations.

As previously indicated, operation and maintenance expenses associated with interstate billing and collections were not included in the forecast. Approximately \$.062 million in customer operations expenses were assigned to this activity based on a 6% cost separations factor from another Tennessee local exchange carrier's ("LEC") cost study. United does not normally perform a cost separation study. Therefore, a reasonable surrogate was utilized in the forecast for this docket. Additionally, United has an affiliated long distance company, which is aptly named UTC Long Distance, In lieu of any cost assignment or allocation, LLP ("UTCLD"). UTCLD has a contract to pay \$1,200 per month to United for all of their administration, accounting, data processing, management, utilities, marketing, equipment and supplies. Also, United has loaned UTCLD \$325,000 and as of December 31, 2000, UTCLD has negative equity of \$374,060. Further, UTCLD has no fixed assets, only current assets of \$108,613. UTCLD's revenues, however, have grown from \$171,544 in 1998 to \$782,351 in 2000. In effect, due to its non-allocation of costs, UTCLD is not operating presently as a stand alone utility operation, but a funnel for revenues to United's shareholders. Although UTCLD is operating at a small loss currently,

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a future reduction in access charges would swing the revenues and profits away from United to their affiliate. Therefore, it is appropriate to properly allocate a portion of the costs to UTCLD. Using United's present methodology of allocation, non-regulated revenues to total revenues and including UTCLD's actual 2000 revenues grown at the current access line growth rate in the calculation, generates \$.166 million of operations and maintenance costs being allocated from United to UTCLD. This allocation of costs mitigates the potential for significant cross-subsidization between the regulated and the non-regulated operations, in this case UTCLD.

Coincidentally, the FCC initiated a proceeding in September to review separate affiliate rules for incumbent independent local phone carriers ("ILECs") pertaining to the provisioning of in-region, interexchange services by ILECs. In FCC Docket #97-142, the FCC states, "We conclude, however, that the independent LECs' control of local exchange and exchange access facilities potentially enables them to misallocate costs from their in-region, interexchange services, discriminate against rivals of their interLATA affiliates, and engage in other anticompetitive conduct....we recognize that, as long as these carriers retain market power in providing local exchange and exchange access services, they will retain some incentive and ability to misallocate costs to local exchange and exchange access services,

to discriminate against their long distance competitors, and to engage in other anticompetitive conduct." (Released April 18, 1997, Pages 8, 10 Items 7, 10.) Although the language is directed toward the Regional Bell Operating Companies ("RBOCs"), it underscores the LEC's ability to wrongly subsidize in this case United's long distance operations.

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# Q. Please explain the issues and reasons for the forecast difference due to forecast methodology.

United's forecast of operations and maintenance expenses was primarily based upon 2000 actual amounts by account and grown by rates as management deemed appropriate. In contrast, the CAPD forecast, used in large part a zero-based forecasting method. All employees, employee benefits and rents were priced out at actual rates and levels. The residual operations and maintenance expense known as "Other" for the year 2000 was grown at half the projected access line growth rate plus an inflation rate (GDP-Chained Price Deflator) which totaled to a 5.18% annual growth. Therefore, the CAPD forecast is \$.3 million less than the United forecast method.

- 1 Q. Please explain the issues and reasons for the forecast difference 2 due to non-recurring items.
- As previously stated, United's forecast of operations and 3 Α. maintenance expenses was primarily based upon 2000 actual amounts 4 by account and grown by rates as management deemed appropriate. 5 Their forecast includes amounts incurred in 2000 which by United's 6 own admission are from a prior period. Consequently, it would be 7 8 inappropriate to include those amounts in a prospective forecast. The CAPD forecast excludes \$.1 million of non-recurring items. 9

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- Please explain the forecast of depreciation and amortization 11 Q. expense. 12
- In CAPD Exhibit 1, Schedule 3, line 9 indicates the difference Α. in the forecasted amounts between the CAPD and United under present rates. United filed testimony and other made statements in its original petition which set forth a need to reduce the depreciation life on its COE, "from the present twenty-five year life to a more realistic 12 ½ year life." (See Original Petition dated May 22, 2001, Page 5, 19 Item 9.) United also included in its forecast under proposed rates a ten year amortization amount of an extraordinary retirement of COE. (See Original Enoch Testimony dated May 22, 2001, Page 2, Question 10.) Additionally, though not mentioned specifically in the

petition or testimony, United has changed certain depreciation rates for various accounts from their TRA approved rates in their forecast.

The CAPD has adopted only the increased depreciation rate for COE and the amortization expense in its forecast. The COE depreciation rate is identical to the rate agreed to in the earnings settlement of the Telephone Electronic Corporation operating companies in Tennessee (TRA Docket #99-00995.) The CAPD's calculation of depreciation and amortization expense is higher than United's under present rates amount by approximately \$.1 million. United has adopted new rates not only for COE, but for other accounts as well. United's depreciation expense, however, is higher under proposed rates when the extraordinary retirement amortization is added.

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#### Please explain the forecast of operating taxes.

In CAPD Exhibit 1, Schedule 5, lines 1 through 8 and Schedule 6 indicates the forecasted amounts of the CAPD and United (Schedule 5 only). There are basically two types of taxes included in setting rates. The first type is "Other Operating Taxes," which are taxes primarily based on net plant investment value. Included in this category are property taxes and state franchise taxes. Also included is the TRA inspection fee which is based on intrastate revenues. The

primary forecast difference of approximately \$.1 million is due to the failure of United to recognize a 15% reduction in public utility assessments as found by the Tennessee Board of Equalization.

The second type is "State and Federal Income Taxes," which are taxes based on the obvious, the amount of net taxable income. The primary forecast difference is due to United's computation of interest expense deducted for regulated incomes tax purposes. The CAPD used the capital structure furnished by United not only in setting a rate of return, but also to calculate the amount of interest deducted for regulated income tax purposes. United has forecasted a low interest expense amount, which increases the amount of income taxes included in their forecast. Conversely, United's net operating income is understated for calculating a rate of return.

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#### Q. Please explain the forecast of rate base.

CAPD Exhibit 1, Schedule 2, lines 1 through 11 indicates the differences in the forecasted amounts between the CAPD and United. The most significant difference is the inclusion of the unamortized extraordinary retirement of COE by United. Essentially, United is asking the ratepayers for a profit on different equipment for the same exchanges. Some equipment has been retired, while the other equipment is presently in operation. On April 16, 1996, the

Commission (Docket #95-02224) approved a settlement agreement between the CAPD and United which stated that, "All excess revenues....be used for amortization expense of Central Office Equipment retirements." According to their responses to data requests, United booked approximately \$2.4 million in amortization expense from 1995 through 2000. Again, United is asking for approximately \$3.2 million in amortization expense over the next ten years beginning in 2002. While the CAPD has included the annual amortization expense of \$321,076 in its forecast, it has excluded the unamortized amount from rate base. The ratepayers should not have to bear the cost of imprudent purchases, and their related lack of technical documentation. United's shareholders alone are at risk and are responsible for the provision of imprudent telecommunication services.

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## Please explain the calculation of a just and reasonable rate of return.

In CAPD Exhibit 1, Schedule 8, lines 1 through 10, a calculation of a just and reasonable return is shown. While the CAPD has no objection to the 11.50% cost of equity as asked for by United, the overall rate of return remains deficient. United is an average schedule settlement company for interstate access charges. More

simply put, United adopted a nationwide average for their interstate cost of service, which by NECA tariff allows a 11.25% rate of return on interstate investment. The CAPD has assigned an average 25% of United's cost of service for interstate operations, which is representative of most ILECs in Tennessee. The resulting hybrid rate of return recommended by the CAPD is 7.87%. This methodology was adopted by the Commission to foreclose ILECs from setting intrastate rates on a cost basis, but setting interstate rates on a combined basis for interstate purposes.

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#### 11 Q. Please explain rate design recommendations.

In United's original petition, it states that a \$2.00 per month temporary credit per residential line and a \$4.00 per month temporary credit were placed in effect by Commission Order No. U86-7475. Further, the petition states, "These "temporary" credits were placed in effect in 1988 because of an over earning situation and were **intended** to be temporary." (Page 5, Item 10 Emphasis added.) In CAPD Exhibit 3, a history of earnings by United is shown, which indicates that United has surpassed its authorized rate of return in every year since 1988 save the year 2000. The reported earnings for this period remain dubious due to the inclusion of unamortized extraordinary COE retirements, phantom plant under construction amounts in rate

base and overstated operating taxes. Also, the aforementioned out of period expenses included in 2000 detract from the true earnings for the period.

Therefore, it is recommended that United be ordered to re-file tariffs with the \$2.00 and \$4.00 credit included in their local exchange rates. As shown in the financial exhibits, United does not merit further rate relief at this time. Again, if the TRA so desires, there are sufficient forecast earnings to eliminate touch-tone charges for every customer.

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## Q. Do you have other concerns regarding the petitions for increasing rates?

Yes. It is clear that there are two over-riding motivations for United's petition: (1) the consternation of United over the temporary credits being in place for such longevity; and (2) the contention that the Rural Utilities Service ("RUS") will not approve United's loan application unless a rate increase is granted. As the financial record indicates, both historical and forecasted, the credits were justified and appropriate. Despite this record, United has filed three different sets of exhibits with the CAPD, two of which are entered with the TRA. These supplemental exhibits are indicative of United's intent to ignore reality and submit a forecast to somehow achieve their goal.

As for the second motivation, United has cited no authority under which the RUS can compel any state regulatory agency to increase rates. While the CAPD supports the benefit of low cost loans, it cannot agree with the RUS's financial conclusions regarding a rate increase. Presently, the RUS will not furnish their documents nor discuss their conclusions. A Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") document could be submitted to pierce the veil of propriety. Also, United could apply for a lower loan amount to comply with the RUS financial standards.

However, there is a much more troubling aspect of United's financial condition, which is the comparison of their submitted capital structure of approximately \$50 million to their rate base of approximately \$41 million. Where is the \$9 million difference? Normally, an RUS company like United would accumulate cash because the repayment of the debt is longer than the life of the plant investment and tax depreciation rates are higher than book depreciation rates. In this circumstance, United is an anomaly. United has invested in a long distance company, a now aborted cable TV operation, personal communication services ("PCS") and other non-traditional wire-line activities. Consequently, these investment activities have put a financial strain on United's regulated operations, because rates can only be set on \$41 million of rate base. Also, the

1		remaining \$9 million of capital is not providing a return on its
2		investment as of this date. Therefore, United is encouraged to be
3		more circumspect in future investment activities and its management
4		of cash flow. As a result, the approval of future debt borrowing to
5		meet the demands of plant investment growth will not be hindered.
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7	Q.	Any final comments?
8	A.	Yes, I want to commend the employees of United who assisted the
9		CAPD in the investigation of their petition. For the most part, they
10		were diligent in complying with our requests and questions in a
11		timely fashion. While our positions on this matter are at odds, their
12		cooperation is greatly appreciated.
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14	Q.	Does this conclude your testimony?
15	A.	Yes, it does.
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Robert T. Buckner (Terry)

Senior Regulatory Analyst

Office of the Attorney General for the State of Tennessee

Consumer Advocate Division

#### **Additional Education Background:**

Micro-Computer Training, University of Wisconsin, Madison
Cost Separations School, United States Telephone Association, San Diego
Rate Case School, Arthur Andersen LLP, Chicago
Telecommunications Conference, University of Georgia, Athens
NARUC Conference, Michigan State University, Lansing
Management Training Seminar, Vanderbilt University
Interstate Access Settlements, National Exchange Carrier Association
SEARUC Conferences, Birmingham, AL. and Charleston, S.C.
Telephone Plant Accounting Program, Ernst and Young LLP, Atlanta

### BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

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I, Robert T. Buckner, Coordinator of Regulatory Division of the Attorney General's Office, hereby certify represents my opinion in the above-referenced case and to Division.	that the	attached Direct Testimony
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## United Telephone Company Results of Operations and (Revenue Deficiency) Revenue Excess For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

Line No.	Rate Base	CAPD \$ 40,671,865	A/ -	Company \$ 41,064,144	E/	Difference \$ (392,279)
2	Operating Income at Present Rates	3,338,365	B/	1,907,181		1,431,184
3	Earned Rate of Return	8.21%		4.644%		3.56%
4	Fair Rate of Return	7.87%	C/	6.740%		1.13%
5	Required Operating Income	3,199,780		2,767,568		432,211
6	Operating Income (Deficiency) Excess	138,586		(860,387)		998,973
7	Gross Revenue Conversion Factor	0.604890	D/ _	0.613088		(0.008198)
8	Revenue (Deficiency) Excess	\$ 229,110	: :	\$ (1,403,367)		\$ 1,632,477

A/ Schedule 2, Line 11.

B/ Schedule 3, Line 19.

C/ Schedule 8, Line 5.

D/ Schedule 7, Line 9.

E/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 1.

#### United Telephone Company Comparative Rate Base For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

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No.		CAPD	٠,,	Company	_B/ .	Difference
1	Utility Plant in Service Including CWIP	\$ 55,876,534	A	\$ 55,854,613		\$ 21,921
2	Unamortized Extraordinary Retirement	-		3,050,224		(3,050,224)
2	Materials and Supplies	381,155	C/	300,000		81,155
3	Working Capital	307,001	D/	350,000	•	(42,999)
4	Total Additions	\$ 56,564,690	: :	\$ 59,554,837	=	\$ (2,990,147)
5	Accumulated Depreciation	\$ 10,381,688	E/	\$ 13,635,068		\$ (3,253,380)
6	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes	5,387,834	F/	4,779,657		608,177
7	Unamortized ITC - pre 1971	68,468		68,468		-
8	Customer Deposits	54,835	G/	7,500		47,335
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10	Total Deductions	\$ 15,892,825	=	\$ 18,490,693	=	\$ (2,597,868)
11	Rate Base	\$ 40,671,865	=	\$ 41,064,144	=	\$ (392,279)

A/ WP RTB-305A.

B/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 2.

C/ WP RTB-300.

D/ Schedule 3, sum of Lines 2-5 divided by 12.

E/ WP RTB-314A.

F/ WP RTB-302A.

G/ WP RTB-301.

#### United Telephone Company Comparative Income Statement For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

Line No.		CAPD		Company		Difference
1	Total Revenues	\$11,541,316	A/	\$ 9,983,266	B/ :	\$ 1,558,050
2	Plant Specific	1,474,826	C/	1,609,718	D/	(134,892)
3	Plant Non-Specific(Excluding Depreciation)	338,721	E/	391,629	F/	(52,908)
4	Customer Operations	887,661	G/	1,131,974	H/	(244,313)
5	Corporate Operations	982,804	1/	1,110,259	J/	(127,455)
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7		-		-		-
8	Interest on Customer Deposits	2,017	K/	-		2,017
9	Depreciation and Amortization Expense	2,978,888	L/	2,855,886	M/	123,002
10	Taxes Other Than Income	740,351	N/	829,200	0/	(88,849)
11	Operating Income Taxes	797,683	P/	147,420	Q/	650,263
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15	Total Operating Expense	\$ 8,202,951	=	\$ 8,076,086	=	\$ 126,865
16	Net Operating Income	\$ 3,338,365		\$ 1,907,181		\$ 1,431,185
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18	Net Operating Income for Return	\$ 3,338,365	\$ 1,907,181	\$ 1,431,185		

- A/ Schedule 4.
- B/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 5, LINE 1.
- C/ WP RTB-209.
- D/ Enoch Exhibit 5, LINE 2.
- E/ WP RTB-209.
- F/ Enoch Exhibit 5, LINE 3.
- G/ WP RTB-209.
- H/ Enoch Exhibit 5 LINE 4.
- I/ WP RTB-209.

- J/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 5, Line 5.
- K/ 6% Interest Rate \* Customer Deposits \* .613088.
- L/ WP RTB-314A.
- M/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 5, Line 6.
- N/ Schedule 5, Line 8.
- O/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 5, Line 7.
- P/ Schedule 7. Sum of Lines 21 and 31.
- Q/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 5, Line 8.

#### United Telephone Company Operating Revenues For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

Line No.	Local Service Revenue	 CAPD 3,909,858	A/	Company \$ 2,926,755	B/	Difference \$ 983,103
2	Network Access Service	7,040,401	C/	6,589,406		450,995
3	Long Distance Network Service	-	D/	(112,110)		112,110
4	Miscellaneous Revenue	688,803	E/	720,237		(31,434)
5	Uncollectible Expense	 (97,746)	F/	(141,022)		43,276
6	Total Operating Revenues	\$ 11,541,316		\$ 9,983,266		\$ 1,558,050

AV WP RTB-100.

B/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 6.

C/ WPs RTB-111, RTB-109, RTB-114, RTB-117.

D/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 6.

F/ WP RTB-120.

F/ WP RTB-122.

#### United Telephone Company Taxes Other Than Income Taxes For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

Line No.		,	CAPD		Common	<b>D</b> /	ς.	
1	Property Taxes		598,000	A/	Company \$ 673,112	. B/ -	\$	fference (75,112)
2	Gross Receipts Tax		-		-			-
3	FICA Tax		-		-			-
4	Unemployment Taxes		-		-			-
5	Franchise Tax		127,101	C/	144,088			<b>(16,9</b> 87)
6	Other General Taxes		-		-			-
7	TRA Inspection Fee		15,250	D/	12,000	_		3,250
8	Total Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	\$	740,351		\$ 829,200	=	\$	(88,849)

AV WP RTB-401.

B/ Revised Enoch Exhibit 7.

C/ WP RTB-402A.

D/ WP RTB-400.

#### United Telephone Company Excise and Income Taxes For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

Line No. 1	Total Revenues	\$	Attrition Amount 11,541,316	- A/
2 3 4 5	Plant Specific Plant Non-Specific(Excluding Depreciation) Customer Operations Corporate Operations		1,474,826 338,721 887,661 982,804	A/ A/ A/
6 7 8 9 10	Depreciation and Amortization Expense Taxes Other Than Income		2,978,888 740,351 - -	A/ A/ A/ A/ A/
11 12 13		<u></u>	- - -	
14 15 16	NOI Before Excise and Income Taxes AFUDC Interest Expense	\$	4,138,065 - 2,036,688	. B/
17 18	Pre-tax Book Income Schedule M Adjustments	\$	2,101,377	
19 20	Excise Taxable Income Excise Tax Rate	\$	2,101,377 6.00%	
21	Excise Tax	\$	126,083	
22 23 24	Pre-tax Book Income Excise Tax Schedule M Adjustments	\$	2,101,377 126,083	
25 26	FIT Taxable Income FIT Rate	\$	1,975,294 34.00%	
27 28 29 30	Federal Income Tax Expense ITC Amortization Amortization of Excess Deferred FIT Federal Income Tax Deferred FAS 109	\$	671,600 - -	
31	Federal Income Tax Expense	\$	671,600	

A/ Schedule 3.

B/ Schedule 1, line 1 \* Weighted Cost of Debt per Schedule 8, lines 1-3.

#### United Telephone Company Revenue Conversion Factor For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

Line No. 1	Operating Revenues	Amount	Balance 1.000000
2			
3	Balance		1.000000
4	Uncollectible Ratio	0.025000	0.025000
5	Balance		0.975000
6	State Excise Tax	0.060000	0.058500
7	Balance		0.916500
8	Federal Income Tax	0.340000	0.311610
9	Revenue Conversion Factor		0.604890

#### United Telephone Company Cost of Capital For the Year Ending December 31, 2002

Line No.	Long Torm Dobt	A/ Ratio	A/ Cost	Weighted Cost
2	Long Term Debt Long Term Debt	0.373%	2.00%	0.007%
3	Long Term Debt	22.813% 61.752%	5.00% 6.25%	1.141%
4	Common Stock and Equity	15.062%	11.500%	3.860% 1. <b>73</b> 2%
5	Total	100.00%	11.000%	6.74%
6	Percent Intrastate Operations			75.00%
7	Weighted Intrastate Return			5.05%
8	Percent Interstate Operations			25.00%
9	Weighted Interstate Return @11.25%			2.81%
10	Fair Rate of Return			7.87%

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### CONSUMER ADVOCATE PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE 1995-2002

LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES 1998 % GROWTH	<u>AMOUNT</u> 2,486,643
1999	2,779,001
% GROWTH	11.76%
2000	3,136,563
% GROWTH	12.87%
ANNUAL GROWTH FROM 1998	12.31%
CAPD FORECAST 2001	3,501,901
% GROWTH	11.65%
CAPD FORECAST 2002	3,909,858
% GROWTH	11.65%

SOURCE: TRA 3.01 REPORTS, WP RTB-103, RTB-104.

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### CONSUMER ADVOCATE PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE 1995-2002

LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES 1998	<u>AMOUNT</u> 2,486,643
% GROWTH	,
1999	2,779,001
% GROWTH	11.76%
2000	3,136,563
% GROWTH	12.87%
UNITED FORECAST 2001	2,713,441
% GROWTH	-13.49%
UNITED FORECAST 2002	2,926,755
% GROWTH	7.86%

SOURCE: REVISED UNITED EXHIBITS, TRA 3.01 REPORTS

CONSUMER ADVOCATE PROTECTION DIVISION

ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE

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1995-2002 LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES 1998 % GROWTH	<u>UNITED</u> 2,486,643	<u>CAPD</u> 2,486,643	R(UNDER) COMPANY -
1999 % GROWTH	2,779,001 11.76%	2,779,001 11.76%	\$ -
2000 % GROWTH	3,136,563 12.87%	3,136,563 12.87%	\$ -
FORECAST 2001 % GROWTH	2,713,441 -13.49%	3,501,901 11.65%	\$ 788,460
FORECAST 2002 % GROWTH	2,926,755 7.86%	3,909,858 11.65%	\$ 983,103

CONSUMER ADVOCATE PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE ACCESS LINES 1995-2002

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ACCESS LINES 1998 % GROWTH	<u>UNITED</u> 12,497	<u>CAPD</u> <b>12,497</b>	OVER(UNDER) COMPANY -
1999	13,556	13,556	-
% GROWTH	8.47%	8.47%	
2000	14,156	14,377	221
% GROWTH	4.43%	6.06%	
FORECAST 2001	14,691	15,248	557
% GROWTH	3.78%	6.06%	
FORECAST 2002	15,189	16,172	983
% GROWTH	3.39%	6.06%	

SOURCE: TRA 3.01 REPORTS, REVISED ENOCH EXHIBIT 9

CONSUMER ADVOCATE PROTECTION DIVISION

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ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE PER AVERAGE ACCESS LINE 1995-2002

LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	UNITED	CAPD
1998 % GROWTH	190.89	190.89
1999	213.33	213.33
% GROWTH	11.76%	11.76%
2000	226.37	224.58
% GROWTH	6.11%	5.27%
CAPD FORECAST 2001	188.13	236.41
% GROWTH	-16.89%	5.27%
CAPD FORECAST 2002	195.90	248.87
% GROWTH	4.13%	5.27%

SOURCE: REVISED UNITED EXHIBITS, TRA 3.01 REPORTS

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTERSTATE MOUFOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

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	UNITED	
1998	28,141,334 A/	28,877,208 B/
1999 MOU	32,157,780 A/	33,135,679 B/
% GROWTH	14.27%	14.75%
2000 MOU	41,093,018 A/	41,689,006 B/
% GROWTH	27.79%	25.81%
ANNUAL GROWTH FROM 1998	20.84%	20.15%
CAPD FORECAST 2001 MOU	43,636,676	44,269,555
% GROWTH	6.19%	6.19%
CAPD FORECAST 2002 MOU	46,337,786	47,009,841
% GROWTH	6.19%	6.19%

SOURCE: RESPONSE TO ITEM 10 OF CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

A/ NECA REPORTS PER ITEM 10.

B/ RESPONSE TO ITEM 9, PAGE 2 0F 40 OF CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION
ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE REVENUE/INTERSTATE MOU
FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

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		UNITED
1998		0.1086 A/
1999		0.0971 A/
2000		0.0832 A/
2001	UNITED FORECAST CAPD FORECAST	- 0.0804
2002	UNITED FORECAST CAPD FORECAST	- 0.0777

A/ NECA REPORTS PER ITEM 10. B/ RESPONSE TO ITEM 9, PAGE 2 0F 40 OF CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

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CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTERSTATE ACCESS(EXCLUDING B&C AND SPECIAL ACCESS) FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	UNITED
1998	3,055,549 A/
1999 REVENUES % GROWTH	3,122,985 A/ 2.21%
2000 REVENUES % GROWTH ANNUAL GROWTH FROM 1998 CAPD FORECAST 2001 REVENUES % GROWTH	3,420,441 A/ 9.52% 5.80% 3,507,993 B/ 2.56% 3.600,717 B/
CAPD FORECAST 2002 REVENUES % GROWTH	2.64%

A/ RESPONSE TO ITEM 10 OF CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

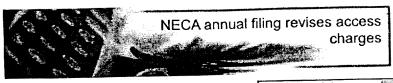
B/ 2000 ADJUSTED BY 7/1/01 NECA FILING OF 1.9% FOR TS SWITCHED ACCESS & 10.3% FOR CCL NOT INCLUDING SPECIAL ACCESS. ALSO, CCL ACCESS IS GROWN BY 6.19% ACCESS LINE GROWTH PER YEAR.

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CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION
ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTERSTATE REVENUES(EXCLUDING B&C, INCLUDING SPECIAL ACCESS)
FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	UNITED	
1998	\$	3,055,549 A/
1999 REVENUES % GROWTH		3,122,985 A/ 2.21%
2000 REVENUES % GROWTH		3,420,441 A/ 9.52%
UNITED FORECAST 2001 REVENUES % GROWTH		3,335,877 B/ -2.47%
UNITED FORECAST 2002 REVENUES % GROWTH		3,437,157 B/ 3.04%

A/ NECA REPORTS PER ITEM 10 OF CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001. B/ RESPONSE TO REVISED ITEM 9, PAGE 2 OF 40 OF CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED SEPTEMBER 17, 2001.



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### NECA annual filing revises access charges

Whippany, NJ - June 19, 2001 - The National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. yesterday filed its annual access tariff revisions with the Federal Communications Commission. NECA's access tariff lists the rates that participating local phone companies charge long distance carriers for accessing the local network to originate and terminate calls. New rates, filed under Transmittal No. 901, are scheduled to be in effect from July 3 through June 30, 2002.

The filing introduced end user Federal Universal Service Charges to recover Universal Service Fund contributions, removing these costs from Carrier Common Line (CCL) rate calculations. While NECA filed the charges for recovery of its members' universal service contributions to be in compliance with a recent Commission order, it did so under protest. That order did not act on a recent NECA request to recover these contributions through an explicit per minute of use charge billed to long distance carriers, rather than the end user charge the FCC ordered.

Proposed rate changes include a 1.9 percent increase for Traffic Sensitive switched access and a 10.3 percent increase for the composite CCL rate. Traffic Sensitive special access rates remain unchanged from last year's annual revisions.

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# CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY INTERLATA MOU FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	UNITED TELEPHONE
1998	7,783,141
1999	9,605,534
% GROWTH	23.41%
2000	15,391,106 A/
% GROWTH	60.23%
CAPD FORECAST 2001 MOU	16,323,807
% GROWTH	6.06%
CAPD FORECAST 2002 MOU	17,313,030
% GROWTH	6.06%

A/ TRA DATA REQUEST DATED 8/14/01, ITEM 4.

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY INTERLATA ACCESS FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	UNITED
1998	291,364
1999	389,122
% GROWTH	33.55%
2000	1,041,376
% GROWTH	167.62%
UNITED FORECAST 2001	983,937
% GROWTH	-5.52%
UNITED FORECAST 2002	995,707
% GROWTH	1.20%

SOURCE: CAPD DATA REQUEST DATED 7/27/01, ITEM 49.

# CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY INTERLATA ACCESS FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	UNITED
1998	291,364
1999	389,122
% GROWTH	33.55%
2000	1,041,376 A/
% GROWTH	167.62%
CAPD FORECAST 2001	1,105,122
% GROWTH	6.12%
CAPD FORECAST 2002	1,172,092
% GROWTH	6.06%
A/ TRA DATA REQUEST DATED 8/14/01	I, ITEM 4.

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## CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTERLATA ACCESS PER AVERAGE ACCESS LINE FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

1998 % GROWTH	0.0374
1999	0.0405
% GROWTH	8.21%
2000	0.0677
% GROWTH	67.02%
CAPD FORECAST 2001	0.0677
% GROWTH	0.06%
CAPD FORECAST 2002	0.0677
% GROWTH	0.00%

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED, INC. INTRALATA MOU FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	UNITED	
1998	22,730,397 A/	23,028,146 B/
1999	24,004,877 A/	24,373,765 B/
% GROWTH	5.61%	5.84%
2000	22,524,750 A/	22,671,197 B/
% GROWTH	-6.17%	-6.99%
CAPD FORECAST 2001 MOU	22,671,197	22,671,197
% GROWTH	0.65%	0.00%
CAPD FORECAST 2002 MOU	22,671,197	22,671,197
% GROWTH	0.00%	0.00%

A/ BELLSOUTH SN-642 PER ITEM 11 OF JUNE 14, 2001 CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST. B/ PER PAGES 2-4 OF ITEM 11 OF JUNE 14, 2001 CAPD DISCOVERY REQUEST.

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CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTRALATA REVENUES (EXCLUDING B&C) FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	EXCLUDING B&C	INCLUDING B&C
1998	1,774,665 A/	2,231,454 B/
1999 % GROWTH	1,859,790 A/ 4.80%	2,366,781 B/ 6.06%
2000 % GROWTH	1,835,671 C/ -1.30%	2,220,920 D/ -6.16%
CAPD FORECAST 2001 REVENUES % GROWTH	1,867,281 E/ 1.72%	
CAPD FORECAST 2002 REVENUES % GROWTH	1,899,435 F/ 1.72%	

A/ EXCLUDING B&C PER RESPONSE TO ITEM 49 OF DATA REQUEST DATED 7/27/01.

B/ PER BELL SETTLEMENT FORMS SN-642.

C/ EXCLUDING PPA FOR WIRELESS OF \$67,525 PER RESPONSE TO ITEM 49 OF DATA REQUEST DATED 7/27/01.

D/ PER BELL SETTLEMENT FORMS SN-642, EXCLUDING PPA FOR WIRELESS OF \$67,525.

E/ NOTE: 7 MONTHS ACTUAL PER BELLSOUTH SETTLEMENT FORMS SN-642 ANNUALIZED \$1,841,836.

F/ INCLUDES \$19,675 FROM OTHER CARRIERS PER ITEM 4 OF TRA DATA REQUEST DATED AUGUST 13, 2001.

#### INTRALATA

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CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTRALATA REVENUES FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	UNITED
1998	1,774,665 A/
1999	1,859,790 A/
% GROWTH	4.80%
2000	1,889,207 A/
% GROWTH	1.58%
UNITED FORECAST 2001 REVENUES	1,516,063 B/
% GROWTH	-19.75%
UNITED FORECAST 2002 REVENUES	1,504,293 B/
% GROWTH	-0.78%

A/ BELLSOUTH SN-642 PER ITEM 11 OF JUNE 14, 2001 CAPD REQUEST.
B/ PER RESPONSES TO ITEM 49 OF 6/27/01 CAPD REQUEST EXCLUDING B&C.

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION
ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE REVENUE/INTRALATA MOU
FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	AMOUNT	EXCLUDING B&C
1998	0.0781	0.0969
1999	0.0775	0.0971
2000	0.0811	0.0980
2001	0.0854	A/ -
2002	0.0854	-

SOURCE: BELLSOUTH SN-642 PER ITEM 11 OF JUNE 14, 2001 CAPD REQUEST. A/ PER ACTUAL 7 MONTHS ENDED JULY 2001.

CONSUMER ADVOCATE DIVISION

ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTRASTATE/INTERSTATE SPECIAL ACCESS REVENUES FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

	INTR	ASTATE	INTE	RSTATE
1998	\$	-	\$	94,238
1999		-		60,075
2000		171,548		99,918
CAPD FORECAST 2001		210,133		125,745
CAPD FORECAST 2002		229,045		137,062
1998	\$	-		94,238
1999		-		60,075
2000		171,548		99,918
UNITED FORECAST 2001		210,133		125,745
UNITED FORECAST 2002		229,045		137,062

SOURCE: REVISED ENOCH EXHIBIT 10 AND RESPONSE TO ITEM 9, PAGE 2 OF 40 OF CAPD DISCOVER REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

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CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION
ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE MISC. REVENUES/INCLUDES B&C
FOR THE YEARS 1992-2002

1988	<u>UNITED</u>
% GROWTH	\$ -
1989 % GROWTH	-
1990 % GROWTH	-
1991 % GROWTH	-
1992 % GROWTH	301,998
1993	306,385
% GROWTH	1.45%
1994	315,671
% GROWTH	3.03%
1995	765,453
% GROWTH	142.48%
1996	930,815
% GROWTH	21.60%
1997	1,115,653
% GROWTH	19.86%
1998	839,876
% GROWTH	-24.72%
ANNUAL GROWTH RATE	18.59%
1999	840,393
% GROWTH	0.06%
2000	793,270
% GROWTH	-5.61%
2001 UNITED FORECAST	703,474
% GROWTH	-11.32%
2002 UNITED FORECAST	720,237
% GROWTH	2.38%
SOURCE: REVISED UNITED	D EXHIBITS, TRA 3.01 REPORTS

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ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE MISC. REVENUES/INCLUDES B&C FOR THE YEARS 1992-2002 UNITED ADJUSTED\* 1988 % GROWTH 1989 % GROWTH 1990 % GROWTH 1991 % GROWTH 301,998 1992 % GROWTH 306,385 1993 1.45% % GROWTH 315.671 1994 3.03% % GROWTH 765,453 1995 142.48% % GROWTH 1996 930,815 21.60% % GROWTH 1,115,653 1997 19.86% % GROWTH 1,192,300 1998 6.87% % GROWTH 25.72% ANNUAL GROWTH RATE 1,353,182 1999 13.49% % GROWTH 577,826 2000 -57.30% % GROWTH 703,474 2001 UNITED FORECAST 21.74% % GROWTH

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION

2002 UNITED FORECAST

% GROWTH

720,237

2.38%

<sup>\*</sup> ACTUAL ADJUSTED PER THE TRA 3.01 SURVEILLANCE REPORTS.

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION RTB-120 ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE MISC. REVENUES/INCLUDES B&C FOR THE YEARS 1992-2002

UNITED ADJUSTED\* 1988 % GROWTH 1989 % GROWTH 1990 % GROWTH 1991 % GROWTH 301,998 1992 % GROWTH 306,385 1993 1.45% % GROWTH 315,671 1994 3.03% % GROWTH 765,453 1995 % GROWTH 142.48% 930,815 1996 21.60% % GROWTH 1,115,653 1997 % GROWTH 19.86% 839,876 1998 -24.72% % GROWTH 18.59% ANNUAL GROWTH RATE 840,393 1999 0.06% % GROWTH 793,270 2000 % GROWTH -5.61% 2001 CAPD FORECAST 531,209 -33.04% % GROWTH 688,803 A/ 2002 CAPD FORECAST 29.67% % GROWTH

A/ INCLUDES \$196,364 INTRASTATE INTRALATA B&C FROM BELLSOUTH ACTUAL MAY-JULY 2001 ANNUALIZED GROWN @6.06% PER YEAR UNITED AMOUNTS FOR DIRECTORY REVENUE, AND LONG DISTANCE RECOVERIES; WP-RTB 121.

<sup>\*</sup> ADJUSTED PER THE TRA 3.01 SURVEILLANCE REPORTS.

CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE INTRASTATE B&C FOR THE YEARS 1998-2002

GROWTH RATES AVERAGE REVENUE  MESSAGES REVENUES GROWTH RATE	66.71%
TES REVENUES	28.75% 104.66%
GROWTH RATES MESSAGES REVEN	50.45% 173.64%
REVENUES	278,280 \$ 47,864.15 418,670 61,627.05 1,145,663 126,128.50 210,267.73 350,535.52
TOTAL MESSAGES	278,280 418,670 1,145,663
PENDENTS REVENUES	\$ 45,003.22 44,780.82 50,606.41
AT&T & INDEPENDENTS MESSAGES REVENUES	258,508 286,941 503,271
NI STANCE REVENUES	19,772 \$ 2,860.93 131,729 16,846.23 642,392 75,522.09
UTC LONG I	19,772 131,729 642,392
	1998 1999 2000 2001

A/ PER RESPONSES TO INFORMATION REQUEST DATED AUGUST 13, 2001, ITEMS 7 & 8.

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CONSUMER ADVOCATE DIVISION
ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES
FOR THE YEARS 1988-2002

	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUE	PERCENT UNCOLLECTIBLE
1988	\$ 874,631	\$ 24,385	2.79%
1989	945,345	22,471	2.38%
1990	1,003,347	23,047	2.30%
1991	1,082,425	42,030	3.88%
1992	1,357,283	43,903	3.23%
1993	1,475,784	26,669	1.81%
1994	1,566,276	29,903	1.91%
1995	1,715,646	42,451	2.47%
1996	1,910,854	54,315	2.84%
1997	2,137,392	79,674	3.73%
1998	2,486,643	61,331	2.47%
1999	2,779,001	89,072	3.21%
2000	3,136,563	32,115	1.02% 2.5%
AVERAGE PERCENT UNCOLLECTOR CAPD FORECAST 2001	3,501,901	87,500	2.50%
CAPD FORECAST 2002	3,909,858	97,746	2.50%

SOURCE: 3.01 SURVEILLANCE REPORTS, WP RTB-100.

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY ANALYSIS OF EXPENSE MATRIX FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002

	A/ SALARIES & WAGES	B/ BENEFITS	C/ RENTS	D/ OTHER	TOTAL	E/ NON-REGULATED RE-ALLOCATION	TOTAL REGULATED	F/ UNITED AMOUNT	DIFFERENCE
PI ANT SPECIFIC	448,538	158,642	***************************************	867,648	1,474,828	1,474,828	1,474,828	1,609,718	(134,890)
PI ANT NON-SPECIFIC	171,830	60,767		131,537	364,134	25,414	338,721	391,629	(52,908)
CISTOMER OPERATIONS	421,718	149,140	78,277	368,124	1,017,259	129,597	887,661	1,131,974	(244,313)
COSTONEY OF THE COST OF THE CO	499,192	176,538		379,561	1,055,291	72,488	982,804	1,110,259	(127,455)
SUB-TOTAL	1,541,278	545,088	78,277	1,746,870	3,911,513	227,499	3,684,014	4,243,580	(559,566)
NON-REGULATED AMOUNT	298,551	105,589			404,140				
CAPITALIZED AMOUNT	249,540	88,225			337,765				
TOTAL	2,089,369	738,902	78,277	1,746,870	4,653,418				

A/PER WP RTB-202.
B/PER WP RTB-203.
C/PER RESPONSE TO CAPD INFORMATION REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001, ITEM 4, PAGE 65 OF 73.
D/PER WP RTB-207.
E/PER WP RTB-208.
F/PER REVISED ENOCH EXHIBIT 8.

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY ANALYSIS OF EXPENSE MATRIX FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1999

	A/ SALARIES & WAGES	A/ BENEFITS		A OTHER	A TOTAL
PLANT SPECIFIC	441,755 155,030	155,030	130,559	876,876	1,604,220
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	144,287	59,578		146,359	350,224
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	334,673	118,703		183,666	637,042
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	350,177	132,137		366,815	849,129
TOTAL OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE EXPE	1,270,892	465,448	130,559	1,573,716	3,440,615

A/ Per Corrected 1999 Form M.

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY ANALYSIS OF EXPENSE MATRIX FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1998

	A/ SALARIES & WAGES	A/ BENEFITS	A/ RENTS	A OTHER	A/ TOTAL
PLANT SPECIFIC	206,090	163,084	75,580	621,680	1,366,434
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	120,185	45,334		98,949	264,468
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	177,388	93,988		331,465	602,841
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	306,523	120,118		319,911	746,552
TOTAL OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE EXPE	1,110,186	422,524	75,580	1,372,005	2,980,295

A/ Per Corrected 1998 Form M.

ANALYSIS OF EXPENSE MATRIX FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000 UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY

	A/ SALARIES & WAGES	B/ BENEFITS	C/ RENTS	D/ OTHER	E/ TOTAL REGULATED	JON-REGULATED ALLOCATION	TOTAL
PLANT SPECIFIC	398,799	148,547		836,135	1,383,481		1,383,481
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	152,782	60,856		126,760	340,398	19,683	360,081
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	374,966	137,475	80,726	354,753	947,920	52,367	1,000,287
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	443,843	159,221		365,775	968,840	56,142	1,024,982
TOTAL OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE EXPE	1,370,390	506,099	80,726	1,683,424	3,640,639	128,192	3,768,831
NON-REGULATED AMOUNTS	265,450	95,394			360,844		
CAPITALIZED AMOUNTS	221,872	79,249			301,121		
TOTAL	1,857,712	680,742	80,726	1,683,424	4,302,604		

A/ WP RTB-201.
B/ WP RTB-204.
C/ Per Response to Item 62, of CAPD Data Request dated 7/27/01.
D/ Net of Total minus S&W, Benefits and Rents.
E/ Per 2000 Form M.

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UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY DOCKET #01-60451 WAGE PRICEOUT FOR THE ATTRITION YEAR ENDIN

ASSUME: YEARLY HOURS WORKED - FULL TIME: MONTHLY HOURS WORKED - FULL TIME

TOTAL TAXES 2.844	2,844	2.5	3,317	2,372	4.954	4,338	3,027	3,550	3,562	2.975	4.027	2.213	2.238	2.612	1.550	2,0%6	194	1.502	128	4,357	5,120	1,816	1.171	4,007	4,119	4,081	4,133	2.363	4,115	4.080	2,857	2.687	3,012	2.508	1.987	0	2,099	2.040	3,351	0	00	0	154 279	-		
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TOTAL ATTRITION PERIOD		36,215	36,215	42,393	30,043	100.567	65.798	38,613	45,440	45.607	37.932	51,680	27,969	28.297	33.180	19,295	26,311	18.139	18.672	1.107	55,990	65,963	22,780	14,343	51,359	52,888	52,386	53,036	29,928	52,828	42.247	36,379	34,166	38.415	31,823	25.013	0	26,480	25.709	42,548	0	<b>•</b> •	0	1,984,044	3.00%	
ANNUAL A RATEAT	35,160	15,160	25,150	41.158	29.168	97,638	61,940	37.488	44.117	44,279	36.828	50,174	27.15	27.473	32,213	18,733	25.545	1761	18,128	1.074	54,359	7 7	22,116	13.926	21,062	51,348	50,860	51,549	29,056	\$1,289	50.849	35,320	33,171	37,296	30,896	24.284		25,709	24 960	41,600	•			1,802,219 1,926,257	ASSESSESSESSESSESSESSESSESSESSESSESSESSE	
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TOTAL OVERTIME AMOUNT

2000 PAYROLL DISTRIBUTION				
ACCOUNT CATEGORY	ACCOUNT #	AMOUNT	PERCENT	TRA #01-00451 CAPD Exhibit 2
PLANT SPECIFIC PLANT NON-SPECIFIC CUSTOMER OPERATIONS CUSTOMER OPERATIONS CUSTOMER OPERATIONS CUSTOMER OPERATIONS CORPORATE OPERATIONS CORPORATE OPERATIONS CORPORATE OPERATIONS CORPORATE OPERATIONS CORPORATE OPERATIONS NON-REGULATED INVESTMENT NON-REGULATED INVESTMENT	6112 6121 6212 6232 6411 6421 6423 6431 6441 6512 6534 6512 6535 6622 6623 6623 6623 6622 6721 6711.1 6724 1406 7990-7991	2,027 1,878 34,117 42,018 539 263,751 3,122 1,293 54 19,357 19,357 25,601 86,616 1,850 108 3,366 349,742 21,750 111,887 305,459 26,498 79 265,371 221,872	21.467% 8.224% 20.184% 23.892% 14.29% B/ 11.94% A/	Page 30 of 62
CAPITALIZED	2000-3100	221,012		

TOTAL

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY	F	RTB-202
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	TOTAL	
CAPITALIZED	249,540	11.94%
REGULATED EXPENSE	1,541,278	73.77%
NON-REGULATED EXPENSE	298,552	14.29%
TOTAL	2,089,369	

#### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY TRA DOCKET #01-00451 BENEFITS FOR EMPLOYEES FOR THE YEAR 2002

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LINE NO.	BENEFIT/ NO. OF EMP.	TYPE OF BENEFIT		RATE	PREMIUM
		LIFE INSURANCE:			
1 2 3	0 0 0	LIFE - BASIC LIFE - SUPPLEMENTAL LIFE - OPTIONAL	\$5.40 F	PER MONTH	19,000.00 0.00 0.00
		EMPLOYMENT TAXES			
4 5 6	0 0 0	FICA FUTA SUTA			158,586.00 2,856.00 893.00
		MEDICAL:			
7 8 9	25 15 5	FAMILY COVERAGE TWO PERSON COVERAGE PERSONAL COVERAGE	\$ \$	640.55 464.67 232.24	192,165.00 83,640.60 13,934.40
10		PENSION			164,127.00
: 11		WORKER'S COMPENSATION			28,806.00
12		EMPLOYEE'S TELEPHONE CONCESSIONS			3,604.00
13		UNIFORMS			12,328.00
14		401K			47,788.00
15		COFFEE			1,278.00
16		SICK LEAVE			9,895.41
17		TOTAL EMPLOYEE BENEFITS			738,901.41
18		AMOUNT CHARGED TO NON-REGULATED OPER	@2MOITAS	14.29%	105,589.01
19		AMOUNT CAPITALIZED@11.94%			88,224.83
20		NET REGULATED EXPENSE AMOUNT			545,087.57

A/ PER RESPONSES TO ITEM 61 OF CAPD DATA REQUEST 7/27/01 AND ITEMS 16 AND 22 OF CAPD DATA REQUEST 6/14/01.

ACCOUNT CATEGORY	ACCOUNT#	AMOUNT	F	PERCENT	
PLANT SPECIFIC	6112	701.16			
PLANT SPECIFIC	6121	682.13			
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PL 'ECIFIC	6232	15,206.64			
PLAIN, SPECIFIC	6411	154.26			
PLANT SPECIFIC	6421	97,169.51			
PLANT SPECIFIC	6423	1,099.82			
PLANT SPECIFIC	6431	478.28			
PLANT SPECIFIC	6441	17.87	145642.229	21.39%	
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	6512	8,251.46		29.35%	0.2935122
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	6534	8,509.18			
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	6512	9,445.88			
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	6532	30,922.18			
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	6535	664.78	57793.4719	8.76%	
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	6622	35.73		12.02%	0.1202464
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	6623	1,250.37			
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	6623	113,181.16			
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	6622	7,091.90	121559.158	19.80%	
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	6721	39,031.07		27.16%	0.2716369
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	6711.1	107,772.76			
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	6724	9.304.46	156108.299	22.93%	
NON-REGULATED INVESTMENT	1406	40.24		31.46%	0.3146045
NON-REGULATED EXPENSE	7990-7991	95,353.18		14.01%	1
CAPITALIZED	2000-3100	79,248.44		11.64%	
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	6512	936.70			
PLANT NON-SPECIFIC	6534	936.70	1873.4		
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	6622	481.68			
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS	6623	12.746.72	13228.4		
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	6711	-			
CORPORATE OPERATIONS	6721				
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SICK LEAVE-PLANT SPECIFIC	5.2.	2,904.42			
SICK LEAVE-PLANT SPECIFIC SICK LEAVE-PLANT NON SPECIFIC		1,189.89			
SICK LEAVE-PLANT NON SPECIFIC SICK LEAVE-CUSTOMER OPERATIONS		2,687.96			
SICK LEAVE-CUSTOMER OPERATIONS SICK LEAVE-CORPORATE OPERATIONS		3,113.14			

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DOCKET #01-00451 BENEFIT DISTRIBUTION FOR THE ATTRITION YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2002	TOTAL		TRA #01-00451 CAPDN <b>ENTRIEG</b> 2 PageABLOGAGION	ADJUSTED TOTAL
Cn ALIZED	88,225	11.94%		88,225
REGULATED EXPENSE	545,088	73.77%	-	545,088
NON-REGULATED EXPENSE	105,589	14.29%		105,589
TOTAL	738,901			738,901

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### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC. Chapel Hill, Tennessee NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) For the Years Ended December 31, 2000 and 1999

## Note J - Significant Concentrations of Credit Risk

The Corporation grants credit for telephone services supplied to customers approved by management. Most of the Corporation's business activity is with customers located within the Middle Tennessee area. Consequently, the Corporation is dependent upon the local commercial and residential economic business sectors of the area. As of December 31, 2000 and 1999, the Corporation's receivables from customers totaled \$1,747,327 and \$1,571,990 respectively, of which none are collateralized in excess of amounts held as customer deposits.

Other financial instruments which potentially subject the Corporation to concentrations of credit risk involve temporary cash investments, which are placed with various financial institutions at times in excess of the federally insured limits.

In addition, the Corporation is reliant on the Rural Utilities Service and the Rural Telephone Bank for most of its debt. As of December 31, 2000 all of the long-term debt as reflected on the balance sheet was through these two entities.

## Note K - Lease Payments

During the year ending December 31, 1999 the Company entered into an operating lease agreement with Octel Communications Corporation for a voice processing system. The lease requires monthly payments of \$4,106 over a 60 month period. During the year ending December 31, 2000 and 1999 the Company paid \$49,270 in lease payments on this lease.

During the year ending December 31, 1999 the Company entered into an operating lease agreement with Pitney Bowes for a postage and stuffer machine. The lease requires three monthly payments of \$1,807 and fifty-one payments of \$2,417. During the year ending December 31, 2000 and 1999 the Company paid \$29,007 and \$17,506 in lease payments on this lease.

Future lease payments on these leases are as follows:

Year ending	Octel	Pitney Bowes Lease	Total
December 31, 2001 2002	Lease \$ 49,270 49,270 49,270	\$ 29,007 29,007 24,171	\$ 78,277 78,277 73,441 24,637
2003 2004	24,637 \$ 172,447	\$ 82,185	\$ 254,632

## Note L - Restricted Funds

Funds indicated on the balance sheet of United Telephone Company as "Cash and cash equivalents - RUS construction funds" are proceeds from Rural Utilities Service note advances that have not been expended. These funds are restricted to expenditures approved by the Rural Utilities Service.

#### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY TRA DOCKET #01-00451 OTHER EXPENSE FOR THE YEAR 2002

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LINE NO.	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
1	2000 EXPENSES	1,683,424 A/
2	NON-RECURRING - LADD ENGINEERING	14,442 B/
3	NON-RECURRING - 1999 WORK ORDER CLOSINGS	15,938 C/
4	NON-RECURRING - 1999 L.M. BERRY	74,000 D/
5	NET OTHER EXPENSES	1,579,044 E/
6	GROWTH RATE	1.0518
7	OTHER EXPENSES FOR 2001	1,660,839
8	GROWTH RATE	1.0518
9	OTHER EXPENSES FOR 2002	1,746,870

#### A/ PER WP RTB-212.

B/ PER RESPONSE TO CAPD INFORMATION REQUEST DATED 7/27/01, ITEM 54. C/ PER RESPONSE TO CAPD INFORMATION REQUEST DATED 7/27/01, ITEM 55.

7/ PER COMPANY RESPONSE.

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10/1/01 :18 PM RTB-314A	ENDING	BALANCE	6,613,594	6,799,106	6,984,735	7,170,480	7,356,342	7,542,321	7,688,416	7,893,615	8,098,930	8,304,362	8,509,911	8,715,576	8,921,358	9,160,838	9,400,434	9,640,148	9,879,978	10,119,924	10,359,988	10,608,683	10,857,494	11,106,422	11,370,913	11,635,521	11,900,246	
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UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY ACCUMULA ) DEPRECIATION FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEI		MONTH/YR	Dec-00	Jan-01	Feb-01	Mar-01	Apr-01	May-01	Jun-01	Jul-01	Aug-01	Sep-01	Oct-01	Nov-01	Dec-01	Jan-02	Feb-02	Mar-02	Apr-02	May-02	Jun-02	Jul-02	Aug-02	Sep-02	Oct-02	Nov-02	Dec-05	TOTAL 2002

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1999-2002	Utpltad1.	xls	R	ГВ-401		Z.1Z 1 IVI	CAP	#01-00451 D Exhibit 2 ge 40 of 62
	ACTUAL 1998 TAXES PAID	ACTUAL 1999 TAXES PAID	2	ACTUAL 0000 TAXES PAID		CA FORECAST		A FORECAST
UTILITY PLANT IN SERVICE AT DEC. 31 OF PREV. YR. ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION AT DEC. 31 PREV. YR.	1998 \$26,529,655 6,859,562	1999 28,576,699 7,572,255		2000 31,281,843 7,917,558		2001 44,288,959 6,613,594	_	2002 52,128,694 8,067,531
NET PLANT IN SERVICE ASSESSMENT VALUE PROPERTY TAXES EFFECTIVE TAX RATE	\$19,670,093 30,000,000 B/ 480,941 A/	\$21,004,444 32,000,000 435,269 1.36%	В/	23,364,285 52,000,000 590,433 1.14%	A/	\$ 37,675,365 45,000,000 515,000 1.14%		5 44,061,163 52,627,289 598,000 1.14%

A/ PER RESPONSE TO ITEM 30, PAGES 18-69 OF DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001. B/ PER STATE OF TENNESSEE UTILITY PROPERTY ASSESSMENT DIVISION.

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UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY STATE OF TENNESSEE FRANCHISE TAX FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000-2002 DATE: TIME: 9/28/01 1:45 PM

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		AMOUNT	S	TOCK	_
NET UTILITY PLANT IN SERVICE AT DECEMBER 31, 2000	\$	37,813,027	\$7	,633,420	A/
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES AND WORK IN PROGRESS AT DECEMBER 31, 2000		6,437,744			
RENTAL VALUE OF PROPERTY		153,684			_
TAX RATE OF \$.25 PER \$100 OF NET PLANT AND M&S	\$	0.25	\$	0.25	_
FRANCHISE TAX AMOUNT FOR 2000	\$	111,011	\$	19,084	_
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NET UTILITY PLANT IN SERVICE AT DECEMBER 31, 2001	\$	44,061,163			
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES AND WORK IN PROGRESS AT DECEMBER 31, 2001		4,381,155			
RENTAL VALUE OF PROPERTY		153,684	_		
TAX RATE OF \$.25 PER \$100 OF NET PLANT AND M&S	\$	0.25	_		
FRANCHISE TAX AMOUNT FOR 2001	\$	121,490	=		
NET UTILITY PLANT IN SERVICE AT DECEMBER 31, 2002 (INCLUDING CWIP)	\$	50,305,542			
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES AT DECEMBER 31, 2002		381,155			
RENTAL VALUE OF PROPERTY		153,684	_		
TAX RATE OF \$.25 PER \$100 OF NET PLANT AND M&S	_\$_	0.25	_		
FRANCHISE TAX AMOUNT FOR 2002	\$	127,101	=		

A/ PER RESPONSE TO ITEM 30, PAGES 14 AND 15 OF 119 (A) OF DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

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From:

Pat Dodson

To:

Buckner, Terry 8/1/01 10:19AM

Date: Subject:

Re: Appraisal Values for United Telephone Company, Chapel Hill

#### Per your request:

TN Appraisal Values

2001: \$45,000,000 2000: \$52,000,000 1999: \$32,000,000 1998: \$30,000,000

I hope this is helpful. If you need any additional information, please let me know.

Have a good week.

>>> Terry Buckner 07/31/01 04:24PM >>> Dearest Pat,

If possible, could you provide me with the last four years appraisal values subject to property tax for United Telephone Company of Chapel Hill, TN. Thank you so much.

Uncle Buck

#### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY TRA INSPECTION FEE FOR THE YEARS ENDED 1999-2002

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INTRASTATE REVENUE		1999	2000	2002
LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE	\$	2,486,643	\$2,779,001	\$3,501,901 B/
ACCESS REVENUE		2,066,028	2,302,912	3,184,540
LONG DISTANCE REVENUE		27,182	24,753	0
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE		569,987	601,116	531,209
LESS: UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUE		(35,891)	(3,084)	(87,548)
TOTAL INTRASTATE GROSS RECEIPT	\$	5,113,949	\$5,704,698	\$7,130,102
LESS: EXEMPTION	_\$_	5,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000
NET INTRASTATE GROSS RECEIPTS	_\$_	5,108,949	\$5,699,698	\$7,125,102
.3% X FIRST \$1,000,000 OR SMALLER		3,000	3,000	3,000
.2% X ALL OVER \$1,000,000		8,218	9,399	12,250
TOTAL INSPECTION FEE	\$	11,218	\$ 12,399	\$ 15,250

A/ PER RESPONSE TO ITEM 30, PAGES 118 AND 119 OF 119 OF DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001 NOTE: CURRENT YEAR'S TRA FEES ARE CALCULATED ON PREVIOUS YEAR'S INTRASTATE REVENUES. B/ WP RTB-100.

# CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF THE GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP) CHAINED PRICE DEFLATOR TRA DOCKET #01-00451 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002

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YEAR	1/1/ - 3/31		4/1 - 6/30		7/1 - 9/30		10/1 - 12/31		ATTR YR GDP IDP
2000	106.2	A/	106.8	A/	107.2	A/	107.8	A/	107.0
2001	108.6	A/	109.2	B/	109.8	B/	110.4	B/	109.2
2002	111.0	B/	111.6	B/	112.2	B/	112.8	B/	111.6
AVERAGE GDI	P DEFLATOR FOR	YEAR 2	2001						2.01%
									0.450/
AVERAGE GDI	P DEFLATOR FOR	2002							2.15%

A/ Actual GDP Chained Price Index from Blue Chip Economic Indicators, Vol. 26, No. 7 June 10, 1999. B/ Forecasted GDP Chained Price Index from Blue Chip Economic Indicators, Vol. 26, No. 7 June 10, 1999.

# CONSUMER ADVOCATE AND PROTECTION DIVISION ANALYSIS OF UNITED TELEPHONE EXPENSE GROWTH FACTOR FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002

	UNITED
FORECASTED ACCESS LINE GROWTH	6.06%
ALLOWED PERCENTAGE	50.00%
NET % GROWTH	3.03%
ANNUAL INFLATION RATE(GDP) FOR 2002	2.15%
TOTAL ANNUAL GROWTH RATE FOR 2002	5.18%

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### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000-2002

	MATERIALS	AVERAGE
DATE	& SUPPLIES	M&S
12/31/98	395,616	A/
12/31/99	323,920	359,768 A/
12/31/00	438,389	381,155 A/
12/31/01	438,389	381,155
12/31/02	438,389	381,155

A/ PER RESPONSE TO ITEM 6 OF THE DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

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ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION 12/31/02	250.064	83,869	446,268	50,890	33,310	373,736	997,206		673,452	1,155,875	6,664,184	393,982	136,677	5,872	139,520	0	0	85,216	3,600	85,362	85	0	0	0	0	0	0 (	<b>O</b>	0 ,	0 (			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,221,151
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION 11/30/02	244,210	83,274	442,644	50,530	32,899	369,721	885,536	0	664,427	1,141,467	6,599,119	382,741	133,237	2,667	138,278	0	0	81,984	3,488	81,899	82	0	0	0	0	0 (	9 (		<b>.</b>	0 0	<b>-</b>	o c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	202,140,11
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION 10/31/02	238,356	82,680	439,019	50,170	32,487	365,706	773,865	0	655,401	1,127,076	6,534,154	371,499	129,797	5,462	137,036	0	0	/8,751	5,5,5	/8,436	6/	0 0	0 (	0	0 (	0 (	> 0	0 0	> 0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11 103 350	700,001,11
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2112 MOTOR VEHICLES	475,862	470,008	464,154	458,300	452,445	446,591	440.737	434.883	8/31/01	9/30/01	10/31/01
2121 RUII DINGS	19,635	19,040	18,445	17,850	17,255	16,660	16,066	15,471	14,876	14.281	13 686
	1,78,006	1,//4,443	1,770,881	1,767,318	1,763,755	1,760,192	1,793,791	1,790,166	1,786,541	1,782,917	1,779,292
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	525,708	521.693	517.678	51,638	57,226	56,815	56,403	55,992	55,580	55,169	54,757
	13,	13,726,181	13,643,121	13,560,061	13.477.001	303,632	501,616	497,601	493,585	489,570	485,555
2215 ELECTRO-MECHANICAL SWITCHING		0	0	0	0	0+7,575,61	050,850,51	15,757,751	15,639,813	15,539,894	15,439,975
2411 POLES	2,250,883	2,241,857	2,232,832	2,223,806	2,214,780	2,205,754	2,196,729	2,187,703	2,178,677	2.169.652	2.160.626
	9.730.316	9,383,748	3,3/4,6/4	3,365,583	3,356,475	3,347,351	3,338,210	3,329,086	3,319,945	3,310,787	3,301,613
	1,893,381	1,886,410	1.879.440	1,872,470	9,648,618	9,627,944	10,267,044	10,244,070	10,220,996	10,197,822	10,174,548
2423 BURIED CABLE-METAL	811,832	810,043	808,255	806,466	804,677	802.888	801.108	1,844,588	1,837,618	1,830,648	1,823,677
2423 BORIED CABLE-FIBER 2431 AFRIA! WIPE	101,484	101,280	101,075	100,870	100,665	100,460	100,255	100.050	99 845	99,733	793,945
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2441 CONDUIT SYSTEM-METAL	1,025,647	1,023,544	1,021,441	1,019,339	1,017,236	1,015,134	1,013,031	1.010.928	24,311 1 008 826	54,I99 1 006 733	54,087
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10/1/01 12:58 PM 50,230 441,386 16,088,387 1,739,420 22,161 3,199,595 12,990,242 3,012,174 1,593,623 97,182 609,257 174,853 3,900,769 52,852 2,061,343 1,540,667 1,656,640 1,688 RA #01-00451 CAPD Exhibit 2 PLANT IN SERVICE 9/30/02 DATE: E: 50,642 445,401 15,193,391 2,070,369 3,208,953 11,578,100 2,432,469 1,216,804 22,521 97,387 610,498 174,853 3,900,769 1,230,566 52,965 1,346,769 ,743,04 1,691 PLANT IN SERVICE 449,416 15,298,395 2,079,394 3,218,294 11,607,958 2,441,747 3,900,769 1,233,173 53,077 1,219,485 97,592 611,740 174,853 NET PLANT IN SERVICE 7/31/02 1,349,607 RTB-310A 2,088,420 3,227,618 11,637,716 2,451,025 1,222,166 97,797 1,750,294 453,432 612,982 174,853 1,235,780 53,189 1,352,445 5,403,398 NET PLANT IN SERVICE 3,900,769 1,69 46,117, 2,097,446 3,236,926 11,102,224 2,229,483 1,076,321 98,001 1,753,919 23,601 51,877 457,447 4,740,544 614,224 174,853 3,900,769 53,301 1,699 NET PLANT IN SERVICE 1,116,002 ,232,898 44,347,396 5/31/02 2,106,471 3,246,217 11,129,904 2,237,995 1,078,705 98,206 615,465 17,883 3,900,76 53,414 1,235,491 461,462 4,840,463 NET PLANT IN 44,525,586 SERVICE 24,321 52,700 465,478 14,940,382 3,255,491 11,157,485 2,246,506 1,081,090 616,707 174,853 3,900,769 1,120,727 53,526 1,238,085 1,705 NET PLANT IN SERVICE 2,115,497 98,411 44,703,660 24,680 469,493 15,040,300 2,124,523 3,264,749 11,184,965 617,949 174,853 3,900,769 1,123,090 53,638 53,111 2,255,017 1,083,474 98,616 NET PLANT IN SERVICE 1,240,678 44,881,617 1/28/02 25,040 53,523 473,509 2,133,549 3,273,990 11,212,346 2,263,529 1,085,859 1,768,418 5,140,219 174,853 3,900,769 1,125,453 53,750 1,243,272 98,821 NET PLANT IN SERVICE 1/31/02 619,191 45,059,457 477,524 405,611 12,496 1,772,042 25,400 3,283,214 1,239,626 2,272,040 1,088,243 2,142,574 5,240,138 99,026 174,853 53,862 1,245,865 ,900,769 ,127,815 NET PLANT IN 45,237,181 SERVICE 13,091 25,760 54,346 2,151,600 1,816,707 792,156 99,231 3,900,769 884,237 621,674 PLANT IN SERVICE 5,340,057 3,292,422 0,151,174 53,975 ,002,518 43,044,957 11/30/01 **JEMBER 31, 2000-2002** ELECTRO-MECHANICAL SWITCHING GENERAL PURPOSE COMPUTERS DIGITAL ELECTRONIC SWITCHING UNDERGROUND CABLE-METAL UNDERGROUND CABLE-FIBER MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER WORK EQUIPMENT CONDUIT SYSTEM-METAL CONDUIT SYSTEM-FIBER MONTHLY NET PLANT IN SERVICE FOR THE YEARS ENDIN SEMBE AERIAL CABLE-METAL BURIED CABLE-METAL AERIAL CABLE-FIBER BURIED CABLE-FIBER CIRCUIT EQUIPMENT UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OFFICE EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT NAME AERIAL WIRE FURNITURE BUILDINGS POLES LAND TOTAL ACCT NO. 2112 2116 7.

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UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY
MONTHLY NET PLANT IN SERVICE
FOR THE YEARS ENDI

ZEMBER 31, 2000-2002

NET PLANT IN SERVICE 12/31/02	115 160	5.358	1.728.546	21.082	48,996	429,339	16,921,165	0	2,034,266	3,171,422	13,057,307	3,048,682	1,628,556	796,567	605,531	174,853	3,000,000	1,568,178	52,516	1,683,458	1,679	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 (	0 (	0 0	0 (		00	o c	o c	o	<b>&gt;</b> C	o c	0	0	0	0	49,291,786
NET PLANT IN SERVICE 11/30/02	341.215	5,953	1,732,171	21,442	49,407	433,355	15,865,046	0	2,043,291	3,180,830	12,920,412	2,989,692	1,586,743	96,772	606,773	174,853	3,000,000	1,534,203	52,628	1,649,713	1,682	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 1	0	00	0 0	0		o c	•	· c	, ,	0 0	• •	· c	0	0	0	0	48,286,180
NET PLANT IN SERVICE 10/31/02	347,069	6,548	1,735,796	21,801	49,819	437,370	15,976,716	0	2,052,317	3,190,221	12,955,377	3,000,933	1,590,183	6,977	608,015	174,853	3,000,000	1,537,435	52,740	1,653,176	1,685	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 (	0 (	0 (	o •	0 0	•	0 0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48,489,031
•		_	BUILDINGS	FURNITURE	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	GENERAL PURPOSE COMPUTERS	DIGITAL ELECTRONIC SWITCHING	ELECTRO-MECHANICAL SWITCHING	CIRCUIT EQUIPMENT	POLES	AERIAL CABLE-METAL	AERIAL CABLE-FIBER	BURIED CABLE-METAL	BURIED CABLE-FIBER	AERIAL WIRE	LAND	CWIP	UNDERGROUND CABLE-METAL	UNDERGROUND CABLE-FIBER	CONDUIT SYSTEM-METAL	CONDUIT SYSTEM-FIBER																									14101	70.00
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UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY ACCUMULATED DEFERRED FEDERAL INCOME TAX FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000-2002

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### ACCUMULATED DEFERRED FEDERAL INCOME TAX SUMMARY

	OMMAKI
ADFIT AT 12/31/00	3,855,080
TAX DEPRECIATION	5,669,749
BOOK DEPRECIATION	
TAX DEPRECIATION OVER BOOK DEPRECIATION	1,798,827 3,870,922
FEDERAL INCOME TAX AT 34%	1 216 112
TOTAL TAXES	1,316,113 1,316,113
AMORT OF EXC DEFERRED FIT	0
OTHER(FAS 109)	0
SUBTOTAL	1,316,113
ADFIT BALANCE AT 12/31/01	5,171,193
AVERAGE ADFIT BALANCE AT 6/30/01 (MDPT OF ATTR YF	4,513,137
ADFIT AT 12/31/01	5,171,193
TAX DEPRECIATION	4,253,242
BOOK DEPRECIATION	2,978,888
TAX DEPRECIATION OVER BOOK DEPRECIATION	1,274,354
FEDERAL INCOME TAX AT 34%	433,280
TOTAL TAXES —	433,280
AMORT OF EXC DEFERRED FIT	0
OTHER(FAS 109)	0
SUBTOTAL	433,280
ADFIT BALANCE AT 12/31/02	5,604,474
ADFIT BALANCE AT 12/31/01	5,171,193
ADFIT BALANCE AT 12/31/02	5,604,474
AVERAGE ADFIT BALANCE AT 6/30/02 (MDPT OF ATTR YF	5,387,834

A/ Per Response to Item 4, page 54 of 73 of Discovery Request Dated June 14, 2001. B/ Per Response to Item 31(b), of Discovery Request Dated June 14, 2001.

#### Line 17, Column (a)

Include the following:

- 1. Dividends (other than capital gain dividends and exempt-interest dividends) that are received from RICs and that are not subject to the 70% deduction.
- 2. Dividends from tax-exempt organizations.
- 3. Dividends (other than capital gain dividends) received from a REIT that, for the tax year of the trust in which the dividends are paid, qualifies under sections 856 through 860.
- 4. Dividends not eligible for a dividends-received deduction because of the holding period of the stock or an obligation to make corresponding payments with respect to similar stock.

Two situations in which the dividends-received deduction will not be allowed on any share of stock are:

- If the corporation held it less than 46 days during the 90-day period beginning 45 days before the stock became ex-dividend with respect to the dividend (see section 246(c)(1)(A)) or
- To the extent the corporation is under an obligation to make related payments for substantially similar or related property.
- 5. Any other taxable dividend income not properly reported above (including distributions under section 936(h)(4)).

If patronage dividends or per-unit retain allocations are included on line 17, identify the total of these amounts in a schedule attached to Form 1120.

#### Line 18, Column (c)

Section 247 allows public utilities a deduction of 40% of the smaller of:

 Dividends paid on their preferred stock during the tax year or • Taxable income computed without regard to this deduction.

In a year in which an NOL occurs, compute the deduction without regard to section 247(a)(1)(B). See section 172(d).

## Schedule J, Form 1120 (Part I, Form 1120-A)

#### **Tax Computation**

**Note:** Members of a controlled group must attach a statement showing the computation of the tax entered on line 3.

#### Lines 1 and 2, Form 1120

Members of a controlled group (Form 1120 only). A member of a controlled group, as defined in section 1563, must check the box on line 1 and complete lines 2a and 2b of Schedule J, Form 1120.

Line 2a. Members of a controlled group are entitled to one \$50,000, one \$25,000, and one \$9,925,000 taxable income bracket amount (in that order) on line 2a.

When a controlled group adopts or later amends an apportionment plan, each member must attach to its tax return a copy of its consent to this plan. The copy (or an attached statement) must show the part of the amount in each taxable income bracket apportioned to that member. See Regulations section 1.1561-3(b) for other requirements and for the time and manner of making the consent.

Unequal apportionment plan.

Members of a controlled group may elect an unequal apportionment plan and divide the taxable income brackets as they want. There is no need for consistency among taxable income brackets. Any member may be entitled to all, some, or none of the taxable income bracket. However, the total amount for all members cannot be

more than the total amount TR 4 #01-00451 taxable income bracket. CAPD Exhibit 2

Equal apportionment plantage 197 of 62 apportionment plan is adopted, members of a controlled group must divide the amount in each taxable income bracket equally among themselves. For example, Controlled Group AB consists of Corporation A and Corporation B. They do not elect an apportionment plan. Therefore, each corporation is entitled to:

- \$25,000 (one-half of \$50,000) on line 2a(1),
- \$12,500 (one-half of \$25,000) on line 2a(2), and
- \$4,962,500 (one-half of \$9,925,000) on line 2a(3).

Line 2b. Members of a controlled group are treated as one group to figure the applicability of the additional 5% tax and the additional 3% tax. If an additional tax applies, each member will pay that tax based on the part of the amount used in each taxable income bracket to reduce that member's tax. See section 1561(a). If an additional tax applies, attach a schedule showing the taxable income of the entire group and how the corporation figured its share of the additional tax.

Line 2b(1). Enter the corporation's share of the additional 5% tax on line 2b(1)

Line 2b(2). Enter the corporation's share of the additional 3% tax on line 2b(2).

#### Line 3, Form 1120 (Line 1, Form 1120-A)

Most corporations figure their tax by using the Tax Rate Schedule below. Exceptions apply to members of a controlled group (see worksheet below) and qualified personal service corporations (see below).

#### Tax Rate Schedule

If taxable income (line 30, Form 1120, or line 26, Form 1120-A) on page 1 is:

Over	But not over—	Tax is:	Of the amount over—
\$0 50,000 75,000 100,000 335,000	\$50,000 75,000 100,000 335,000 10,000,000		\$0,000 75,000 100,000 335,000
10,000,000 15,000,000 18,333,333		3,400,000 + 35% 5,150,000 + 38% 35%	10.000.000

Qualified personal service corporation. A qualified personal service corporation is taxed at a flat rate of 35% on taxable income. A corporation is a qualified personal service corporation if it meets both of the following tests:

- Substantially all of the corporation's activities involve the performance of services in the fields of health, law, engineering, architecture, accounting, actuarial science, performing arts, or consulting and
- At least 95% of the corporation's stock, by value, is owned, directly or indirectly, by (1) employees performing the services, (2) retired employees who had performed the services listed above, (3) any estate of the employee or retiree described

## Tax Computation Worksheet for Members of a Controlled Group (keep for your records)

	<b>Note:</b> Each member of a controlled group (except a qualified personal service corporation) must compute the tax using this worksheet.
1.	Enter taxable income (line 30, page 1, Form 1120) 1.
2.	Enter line 1 or the corporation's share of the \$50,000 taxable income
	bracket, whichever is less
3.	Subtract line 2 from line 1
4.	Enter line 3 or the corporation's share of the \$25,000 taxable income bracket, whichever is less
5.	Subtract line 4 from line 3
6.	Enter line 5 or the corporation's share of the \$9,925,000 taxable
7.	income bracket, whichever is less
8.	Subtract line 6 from line 5
9	Multiply line 2 by 15%
10	Multiply line 4 by 25%
11	Multiply line 6 by 34%
12	Multiply line 7 by 35%
	If the taxable income of the controlled group exceeds \$100,000, enter this member's share of the smaller of: 5% of the taxable income in excess of \$100,000, or \$11,750 (See the instructions for Schedule I. line 2b.)
13	Schedule J, line 2b.)
	If the taxable income of the controlled group exceeds \$15 million, enter this member's share of the smaller of: 3% of the taxable income in excess of \$15 million, or \$100,000 (See the instructions
	for Schedule J, line 2b.)
14.	Total. Add lines 8 through 13. Enter here and on line 3, Schedule J, Form 1120

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### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY RTB-301 CUSTOMER DEPOSITS FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1999-2002

DATE 12/31/98	CUSTOMER DEPOSITS 54,593	AVERAGE CUST DEP	<b>A</b> /
12/31/99	57,690	56,142	A/
12/31/00	51,980	54,835	<b>A</b> /
12/31/01		54,835	
12/31/02		54,835	

A/ PER RESPONSE TO ITEM 6 OF THE DISCOVERY REQUEST DATED JUNE 14, 2001.

#### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY ANALYSIS OF AFFILIATED CHARGES (UTC LONG DISTANCE) FOR THE YEARS 2000-2002

		2000		2001		2002	_
NON-REGULATED REVENUES	\$	586,570	_\$	848,248	\$	1,618,293	*
TOTAL REVENUES	_\$_	10,729,164	\$	10,589,860	_\$	13,159,609	#
PERCENT		5.47%		8.01%		12.30%	_
TOTAL ALLOCATED O&M		128,192		134,832 (	<u> </u>	141,817	- @
TOTAL O&M AFTER ALLOCATION		2,257,158				2,474,436	
TOTAL O&M SUBJECT TO ALLOCATION		2,385,350				2,616,253	
PERCENT O&M ALLOCATED		5.37%				5.42%	
PERCENT ALLOCATED @11.85%						321,732	
INCREASE ALLOCATION						179,915	
LESS: AMOUNT BILLED TO UNITED LONG DIST	ANCE	E PER CONTF				14,400	
NET INCREASED ALLOCATION						165,515	
AMOUNT FROM PLANT NON-SPECIFIC AMOUNT FROM CUSTOMER OPERATIONS AMOUNT FROM CORPORATE OPERATIONS		19,683 52,367 56,142		15.35% 40.85% 43.80%		25,414 67,614 72,488	
AMOUNT FROM INTERSTATE B&C @ 6% OF CU	ISTO	MER OPERATIO	NS			61,984	

<sup>#</sup> INCLUDES REGULATED AND NON REGULATED

<sup>\*</sup> INCLUDES \$782,351 FROM UNITED LONG DISTANCE GROWN AT CAPD ANNUAL ACCESS LINE RATE. @ GROWN AT AN ANNUAL RATE OF 5.18%.

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FCC News Release re: separate affiliate rules for incumbent independent local phone

carriers

From today's agenda meeting - THANKS TO MIKE BALMORIS FOR FORWARDING THIS TO ME. [Will forward more when I get it]

Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 11:48 AM

# FCC INITIATES PROCEEDING TO REVIEW SEPARATE AFFILIATE RULES FOR INCUMBENT INDEPENDENT LOCAL PHONE CARRIERS

Washington, D.C. - Today, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) adopted a proposal to reexamine rules pertaining to the provisioning of in-region, interexchange services by incumbent independent local exchange carriers (LECs). Incumbent independent LECs are non-Bell Operating Company LECs and are typically small and often rural carriers with less than 2% of the nation's access lines.

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#### UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY TRA DOCKET #01-00451 NON-RECURRING EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR 2002

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LINE NO.	<del></del>	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
1 2 3	ACCOUNT #6232 ACCOUNT #6532 ACCOUNT #6622	NON-RECURRING - LADD ENGINEERING NON-RECURRING - 1999 WORK ORDER CLOSINGS NON-RECURRING - 1999 L.M. BERRY	14,442 A/ 15,938 B/ 74,000 C/
4		TOTAL	

A/ PER RESPONSE TO CAPD INFORMATION REQUEST DATED 7/27/01, ITEM 54. B/ PER RESPONSE TO CAPD INFORMATION REQUEST DATED 7/27/01, ITEM 55. C/ PER COMPANY RESPONSE.

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY
COMPARISION OF REVENUES BY JURISDICTION

RTB-500

YEAR 2001	UNITED		CAPD	D	IFFERENCE
LOCAL SERVICE	\$ 2,713,441	\$	3,501,901	\$	788,460
INTERSTATE ACCESS	2 240 422			•	
PAYPHONE ACCESS	3,210,132		3,507,993		297,861
SPECIAL ACCESS-INTERSTATE	2,004		2,004		-
	125,745		125,745		-
SWITCHED ACCESS-INTRA/INTRA	2,920,882	*	1,867,281		(1,053,601)
SWITCHED ACCESS-INTRA/INTER	-		1,105,122		1,105,122
SPECIAL ACCESS-INTRASTATE	210,133		210,133		-
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES	6,468,896		6,818,278		349,382
LONG DISTANCE REVENUES	(112,110)		-		112,110
DIRECTORY REVENUE	28,850		28,850		
NECA - INTRASTATE	70,865				-
NECA - INTERSTATE	18,912		70,865		-
CARRIER B&C INTERSTATE			18,912		=
CARRIER B&C INTRA/INTRA (BELL)	144,047				(144,047)
CARRIER B&C INTRA/INTER	440,800 *	•	202,314		(238,486)
CARRIER B&C INTRA/INTER	-		210,268		210,268
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE	703,474		531,209		(172,265)
UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUE	(128,255)		(87,548)		40,707
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	\$ 9,645,446	\$	10,763,840	\$	1,118,394
YEAR 2002	UNITED		CAPD	DII	FERENCE
LOCAL SERVICE	\$ 2,926,755	\$	3,909,858	\$	983,103
INTERSTATE ACCESS	0.000.005				
PAYPHONE ACCESS	3,300,095		3,600,717		300,622
	2,204		2,204		_
SPECIAL ACCESS-INTERSTATE	137,062		137,062		_
SWITCHED ACCESS-INTRA/INTRA	2,921,000 *		1,899,281		(1,021,719)
SWITCHED ACCESS-INTRA/INTER	-				1,172,092
SPECIAL ACCESS-INTRASTATE			1 1/2/11/4/		
THE THE PERSON WITH CONTAINE	229,045		1,172,092 229,045		1,172,092
	·		229,045		-
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES	229,045 6,589,406				450,995
	·		229,045		-
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES LONG DISTANCE REVENUES	6,589,406		229,045 7,040,401 -		- 450,995
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427		- 450,995
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE  NECA - INTRASTATE	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427 74,408		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427 74,408		- 450,995
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE  NECA - INTRASTATE  NECA - INTERSTATE	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427 74,408 19,858		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427		- 450,995
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE  NECA - INTRASTATE  NECA - INTERSTATE  CARRIER B&C INTERSTATE	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427 74,408 19,858 146,928		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427 74,408		- 450,995 112,110 - - -
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE  NECA - INTRASTATE  NECA - INTERSTATE  CARRIER B&C INTERSTATE  CARRIER B&C INTRA/INTRA (BELL)	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427 74,408 19,858		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427 74,408		- 450,995 112,110 - - - (146,928)
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE  NECA - INTRASTATE  NECA - INTERSTATE  CARRIER B&C INTERSTATE	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427 74,408 19,858 146,928		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427 74,408 19,858		- 450,995 112,110 - - -
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE  NECA - INTRASTATE  NECA - INTERSTATE  CARRIER B&C INTERSTATE  CARRIER B&C INTRA/INTRA (BELL)	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427 74,408 19,858 146,928		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427 74,408 19,858 214,574		450,995 112,110 - - (146,928) (235,042)
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUES  LONG DISTANCE REVENUES  DIRECTORY REVENUE NECA - INTRASTATE NECA - INTERSTATE CARRIER B&C INTERSTATE CARRIER B&C INTRA/INTRA (BELL) CARRIER B&C INTRA/INTER	6,589,406 (112,110) 29,427 74,408 19,858 146,928 449,616 *		229,045 7,040,401 - 29,427 74,408 19,858 214,574 350,536		450,995 112,110 - - (146,928) (235,042) 350,536

<sup>\*</sup> United forecast does not segregate intrastate jurisdiction.

KEVENUES: Local Access Toll Miscellaneous	\$874,631 1,226,607 1,149,963	Actual 1989 1989 31 \$945,345 07 1,318,012 63 1,366,038 65 324,106	\$1,0 1,3	\$1,0 \$1,0 \$1,3	\$1,3	Actual 1993 \$1,475,784 1,775,736 1,553,226	Actual 1994 1566,276 2,408,157 1,586,951 315,671	(8) Actual 1995 1715,646 31,715,646 31,827,686 765,483	(9) Actual 1996 51,910,854 4,252,266 5,565 930,815	'	(10) Actual 1997 52,137,392 4,700,151 31,115,653	(10) (11) Actual Actual 1997 1998 82.137,392 \$2,486,643 4,700,151 \$,093,897 1,115,633 1,192,300	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$3,364,281	\$3,9	\$3,981,723	\$4,102,885	\$4,739,348	\$5,084,462	\$5,847,152	42,451 \$6,380,889	54,315	37.9	79,674	19,674 61,331	i
EXPENSES: Plant Specific Plant Non-Specific	; «»	30 \$602,997 69 144,124	\$685,521	\$717,481	\$751,372	\$931,168	\$965,221	\$1,019,295	\$1,085,421	\$1,250,689	689	i	\$264,468
Customer Operations	lons 278,894				369,889	398,528	434,768	585,790	697,268	246,032	032	032 1,366,434 752 602.841	
Depreciation Expenses		496,291	598.727	550,743	556,752	614,172	628,725	601,494	636,990	688,611			746,552
Other Operating Taxes	Taxe: 211,650 173,500		254,799	279,598	205,621	329,589	781,334	849,286	778,067	1,952,233		1,424,641	ਜੰ
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$2,592,373		\$2,770,881	\$2,909,816	\$3,263,590	\$3,522,530	\$3,894,520	\$4,320,686	\$5.110.276	220,609	•	258,263	i
NET OPERATING INCOME	COMB \$771,908		\$1,210,842	\$1,193,069	\$1,475,758	\$1,561,932	\$1,952,632	\$2,060,203	\$1,934,909	\$2,158,081	* ; *	53,029,921	3,029,921 63,056,154
ADJUSTMENTS: Inside Wiring NOI Int. on Cust. Dep.	. (1,	'	\$0 (2,111)	:	\$0 (2,783)	\$0 (3,225)	\$0 (1,853)	\$0 (2,314)	\$0 \$(3,928)	\$0 \$(4,015)	1	\$0\$	i _
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS		(7) (\$2,546)	(\$2,111)		(\$2,783)	(\$3,225)	(\$1,853)	(\$2,314)	(\$3,928)	(\$4,015)	i	(\$3,648)	
ADJUSTED NOI	\$770,541	•	\$1,208,731	\$1,190,576	\$1,472,975	\$1,558,707	\$1,950,779	\$2,057,889	\$1,930,981	\$2,154,066	\$3	\$3,026,273	\$3,
	\$9,600,759		\$11,023,461	\$12,096,003	\$13,773,611	\$13,340,693	\$17,647,220	\$17,065,998	\$18,561,862	\$20,541,468	\$22,	\$22,698,446	698,446 \$31,425,525
RATE OF RETURN	8.03%	3% 10.42%	•	9.84%	10.69%	11.68%	11.05%	12.06%	10.40%	10.49%	•	13.33%	•
FAIR RATE OF RETURN		-				8.12%	8.12%	8.12%	8.76%	8.76%	į	8.768	8.76% 8.76%
NOI SURPLUS	\$49,524				\$289,822	\$475,443	\$517,825	\$672,130	\$304,962	\$354,633	\$1,(	\$1,037,889	37,889 \$299,867
RETENTION FACTOR	61.84%	_	i	61.59%	, ,	61.50%	61.50%	61.50%	61.50%	61.50%		61.50%	61.50% 61.50%
REVENUE SURPLUS	\$80,084				\$470,566	\$773,078	\$841,991	\$1,092,894	\$495,873	\$576,640	\$1,6	\$1,687,625	87,625 \$487,589